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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 09/916,114 Confirmation No. : 7745
Applicant : Bernd MAISENHOELDER, et al.
Filed : July 27, 2001
TC/A.U. : 2874
Examiner : Michael Stahl
Docket No. : 080314.48609CP
Customer No. : 23911
Title : Wave Guide Plate and Process of Manufacturing Same as
: Well as Microplate

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF
NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.121**

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated November 2, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.